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**From:** Cullen, Daniel [Cullen.Daniel@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** 11/21/2019 3:22:09 PM  
**To:** Meekins, Tanya [Meekins.Tanya@epa.gov]  
**CC:** Zaremski, Sara [zaremski.sara@epa.gov]; Wehrly, Linc [wehrly.linc@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** FW: FOIA Awareness Review 2020-000874  
**Attachments:** Qrtly\_Recall\_Rate-100803.xls; LD DR VERR 2008 to 2011.xls; LD DR VERR and QR 2011 to 2019.xlsx; LD DR VERR and QR 2018 to present.xlsx

Tanya,

The attached files respond and should close FOIA 2020-000874. Can you please draft the letter and pass this on to Mr. Levine?

Thank you!

Dan

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**From:** Bunker, Byron <bunker.byron@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 21, 2019 5:14 AM  
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**Cc:** Cullen, Daniel <Cullen.Daniel@epa.gov>; Wehrly, Linc <wehrly.linc@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: FOIA Awareness Review 2020-000874

Thanks Sara.

Assuming any CBI claim issues are resolved/don't exist, then I am great with the FOIA response. Thanks for raising it to my attention.

And, thanks for the update on posting recall data. That sounds awesome to me. I know we have wanted to do that for a while and just couldn't find the bandwidth to make it happen. If we can do it, I think it would be really great.

Byron

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**From:** Zaremski, Sara <zaremski.sara@epa.gov>  
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**Subject:** FOIA Awareness Review 2020-000874

Byron,

The attached incoming FOIA requests information on LD defect and recall reports dating back to 2008. We were able to query the three IT systems that cover this time period and pull together the information in a spreadsheet. We are not including any of the specific documents submitted by manufacturers, but rather the summary information stored in our databases. If you would like to see the responsive files, I have them and can share with you. This is data that is not publicly available.

On another note, we are working on a project to post recall data on the web in a format that is useful for vehicle owners or potential vehicle owners to determine if their car has/had an emissions recall. This is an ongoing project as we are trying to make sure the data is as useful to the consumer as possible.

Please let me know if you have any questions. Otherwise, please let me know when this is good to move forward with Tanya.

sara